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1105 LONG CHAIN ALKYL AND ALKENYL ESTERS OF OXOCARBOXYLIC ACIDS

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This invention describes a novel class of long chain alkyl and alkenyl esters of oxocarboxylic acids which act as tobacco flavorants.

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6-10-82	Disclosure file opened.
6-16-82	Disclosure to D&O with request to perform patentability search and advise scope of patent protection obtainable.
7-27-82	Search results received—to inventors for review with request for additional information; D&O instructed to draft application.
9-14-82	Japanese article to D&O for consideration.
9-17-82	Letter from D&O recommending meeting to discuss the invention.
10-6-82	Memo to inventors re Japanese article.
10-14-82	Departi conference to discuss case.
11-16-82	Memo to SAH asking her to ascertain plans for future work

on this case; she says work progressing.

Note from Farone indicating that a literature search is in progress and data on current work is being compiled.

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1129 APPLICATION OF ABIENOL TO TOBACCO LEAF

R. Southwick, R. Izac, D. Teng, and H. Grubbs Chemical Research/Sanders/Osdene Biomaterials Science/Whidby/Farone

Application of abienol, a diterpene found in Oriental tobaccos, to bright fobacco varieties to alter flavor properties.

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9-28-82	In-house search completed.	
10-8-82	Disclosure file opened.	
1-10-83	Additional examples received.	
3-4-83	E.S. thinks nothing pending; SAH will pursue.	
7-18-83	Memo from SAH indicating management approval	and
	providing additional information.	

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1146 NOVEL PYRAZINE ETHERS AND THIOETHERS

D. Williams, E. Southwick, and Y. Houminer Chemical Research/Sanders/Osdene

Inskeep/D&O

1-24-83	Disclosure file opened.
2-4-83	Disclosure to D&O for patentability evaulation.
3-9-83 3-15-83	Letter from Depaoli giving his view of patent strategy. Memo to inventors requesting smoking panel results.
3-13-03	Metho to inventors requesting smoking paner resorts.

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1151 SMOKING COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING A FLAVORANT-RELEASE ADDITIVE

K. Podraza and Y. Houminer Chemical Research/Sanders/Osdene

This invention provides smoking compositions which contain a tetracarbonate ester compound as a flavorant additive.

FILED Inskeep/D&O

3-4-83	Disclosure file opened.
4-29-83	Disclosure to D&O to be considered for preparation of an application.
5-31-83	Draft received; to inventors for review.
6-17-83	Inventors comments receivedto D&O.
6-24-83	Additional information received from inventorsto D&O.
7-7-83	Redraft received.
7-28-83	Executed and mailed to PTO for filing.

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1158 IMPROVED RESEALABLE CIGARETTE PACK

R. Southwick Chemical Research/Sanders/Osdene

A box with a resealable flap or closure in which the adhesive is approved as an additive for foods or consumables (Beta-pinene), and which contains an encapsulated flavor-release material to enhance pack aroma.

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5-17-83	In-house search completed.
5-24-83	Disclosure file opened.
7-14-83	In-house search completed—to inventor for review.

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